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SUBJECT: SHADES OF FURTSEVA

1. ZARYA VOSTOKA ON OCTOBER 25 REPORTED THAT USSR MINISTER OF CULTURE YEKATERINA FURTSEVA THE PREVIOUS DAY ADDRESSED AN ENLARGED SESSION OF THE COLLEGIUM OF THE MINISTRY, INCLUDING UNION-REPUBLIC MINISTERS OF CULTURE. THE COLLEGIUM REPORTEDLY DISCUSSED THE PLAN OF MEASURES AIMED AT FULFILLING THE CPSU CENTRAL COMMITTEE DECREE ON THE IDEOLOGICAL CADRES OF BELORUSSIA.

2. COMMENT: ZARYA VOSTOKA WAS THE ONLY NEWSPAPER TO PRINT THIS ITEM WHICH SHEDS NEW LIGHT ON FURTSEVA'S LAST DAY ALIVE. SHE DIED ON OCTOBER 24, BUT THE DEATH WAS ANNOUNCED ON OCTOBER 26 ALONG WITH HER OBITUARY. EVIDENTLY, THE ZARYA VOSTOKA EDITORS FAILED TO GET THE SIGNAL IN TIME TO YANK THE ITEM ABOUT THE COLLEGIUM.  
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